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RAIN WELCOMED BY SPEEDSTERS

Oldfield And Thompson Declare Dampness Is Best For Fast Time.

CROWDS AT TRACK EARLY

Many Brave Shower In Street Cars And Automobiles For Today's Event.

The typical April shower that fell today was greeted with joy by Barney Oldfield and De Lloyd Thompson, who are racing in an aeroplane and automobile at the State Fair grounds this afternoon.

"Fine!" said Barney, as the sun began to peep through the clouds. "The shower has placed the track in perfect condition. I may not break any records this afternoon, but I'll sure show a throng of Oklahomans some near record speed."

The gusts of wind during the rain did not worry Thompson. "I have heard of air pockets, but as far as I am concerned I know nothing of them. This shower will make our exhibition today an added success, as Oldfield always prefers to speed on a damp track."

Barney Oldfield.

The heavy sky and drizzling rain caused the officials of the afternoon's event considerable worry before the weather began to show signs of clearing. Crowds braved the shower and began to fill the grand stand even before it was certain that the race would be held.

Other world famous drivers entered in the big feature race Thursday also were enthused after the rain today. They declared it would greatly increase the safety of the dangerous Jess Willard track.

Among the automobiles that reached the city today were scores from northern Oklahoma and Kansas.

ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Associated Press Officials Named by Board of Directors to Serve During Next Year.

NEW YOR, April 21.—After the adjournment today of the annual meeting of the Associated Press the board of directors met and organized with these officers:

Frank B. Noyes of the Washington Star, president, re-elected; Daniel D. Moore of the New Orleans Times Picayune, first vice president; Benjamin H. Anthony, New Bedford (Mass.) Standard, second vice president; Melville E. Stone, secretary and general manager, re-elected, and J. R. Youatt, treasurer, re-elected.

The executive committee was re-elected as follows: Charles W. Knapp, St. Louis Republic; Charles Hopkins Clark, Hartford, Courant; Charles A. Rook, Pittsburgh Dispatch; Frank B. Noyes, Washington Star; Adolph S. Ochs, New York Times; W. L. McLean, Philadelphia Bulletin; Victor F. Lawson, Chicago Daily News.

HIGH OFFICERS GO TO FRONT IN CARPATHIANS

GENEVA, April 21.—As important military events are expected shortly in the Carpathians seeveral of the neutral nations have requested and received permisdon from Vienna to send high officers to that theater of war.

Colonel Bridler, heading a Swiss military mission, will leave Samaden tomorrow for the Austrian front and it is reported that one or two officers of the United States army may go to the Carpathians. It is stated also that Italy is sending officers.

D. A. R. FIGHT FOR CONTROL TO BE SETTLED BY ELECTION

WASHINGTON, April 21. — The fight for control of the national organization of the Daughters of the American Revolution, in convention here was being settled today at the annual election of officers. The result of the balloting was not expected to be announced until tonight.

The principal contest revolved around the choice of a president general. Mrs. William Cummings Story of New York had been renominated for another term and Mrs. George Thatcher Guernsey of Kansas nominated by the southern faction.

CHINESE CRISIS NEAR

Japs Expected to Issue Ultimatum Following Conference of Elder Statesmen.

TOKIO, April 21. The crisis which has come in the negotiations with China as to the acceptance of the demands of the Tokio government has been followed by a protracted conference of the cabinet. The members of the "genro" or elder statesmen of Japan have been communicated with on the subject.

The semi-official press expresses the belief that Japan has brought the mostified clauses of her demands down to the irreducible minimum and that in the event of further procrastination on the part of the Chinese republic she probably will press for a reply within a given period of time.

The members of the cabinet today conferred with the elder statesmen concerning the Chinese negotiations.

$35,000 GIFT REFUSED

Former Connecticut Representative, However, Said He Appreciates Motive of Postal Men He Benefited.

NEW YORK, April 21. A committee of the National Association of Postal Employees here is wondering today what to do with a $35,000 gift which they had tendered to former Representative Thomas L. Reilly of Meriden, Conn., and which he positively but firmly declined.

As a member of congress from 1910 to 1914 Mr. Reilly had initiated considerable legislation for the benefit of postal employes. A few days ago Mr. Reilly was requested to meet a delegation of the postal employes at a New York hotel and the meeting took place there yesterday.

A silver plate had been made by the postal employes and on it the $35,000 in cash was tendered to the Connecticut man. Expressing his appreciation of the motive Mr. Reilly declined the gift, plate and all, saying that he had worked for the interest of the postal employes without thought of reward and that but for the fickleness of the Connecticut electorate he would still be serving them in congress.

NEW MEXICAN REVOLT

Ammunition and Arms Being Purchased in Large Quantities at El Paso; Others Active.

EL PASO, Tex., April 21.—Villa's activity became more apparent along the border today in the parties of the so-called reactionists, composed of former federals and revolutionists, of whom Huerta and Orozco were former leaders. Several former federal generals have appeared here within the last few days.

What is said to be a new revolutionary party has begun the purchase of arms and ammunition in large quantities.

No expeditions, however, have entered Mexico as far as has been learned, nor have any sympathetic uprisings yet occurred in the interior. The entry of Obregon into Central Mexico and his apparently successful advance south along the line of the Mexican Central railroad has delayed more than ever the hope of reorganizing the Villa-Zapata convention. Roque Gonzales Garza, named provisional president at the Aguas Calientes convention is with General Zapata in the vicinity of Mexico City.

Villa leaders evidently hope to crush Obregon by a concentration of troops from the east and west, combining with the routed army led by Villa in the center. The western and eastern Villa commanders within the last month have been as successful as their chief, having been rebuffed at Matamoros on the Eastern Texas border, and in the fighting around Guadalajara.

AN IRVING MONUMENT

Railroad Track Changed to Make Room for Monument to American Author; Once Explored Oklahoma.

TULSA, Ok., April 21.—Sentiment historic interest and civic pride in America have been sidetracked and even eliminated to expedite commercial progress, but the very opposite has occurred in Tulsa where the tracks have been torn up and the right-of-way of a railroad changed to create an imposing site for the erection of a monument which will perpetuate the name and fame of a great American.

This monument is the twenty-foot marble shaft to be erected in memory of Washington Irving, historian, statesman and author, who in his pilgrimage across the plains in 1832, camped on the present site of the present city of Tulsa and made the prediction that here, in this land of milk and honey a great city would rise.

COUNTIES WILL RECEIVE FINES UNDER FOOD LAW

Fines collected incident to the violation of the commercial food law of the state, through the board of agriculture, must be turned into the school funds of the counties where collected, according to an opinion from the attorney general's office rendered to the board of agriculture. There is no other destination for such funds at present. The information was asked by President Gault of the board, who also asked if the money could not be placed to the credit of the agricultural department. It was explained by the attorney general that provision has been made that proceeds derived from the sale of condemned commercial foodstuffs must go into the state treasury. In the absence of any specific provision of the placing of the funds derived from fines, the attorney general says that the general law controls, that is that it must go to into the school fund.

EMBRY IS FOR ENFORCEMENT

New County Attorney Says He Will Hold Office Anyway Until He Works Out His Mission.

TWO ASSISTANTS RETAINED

Will Organize His Staff Without Partisan Bias And In Interest Of Law Solely.

John Embry is county attorney today, having taken charge of the office at the opening hour this morning. His bond was filed and approved by the county commissioners before noon. County Attorney Embry was congratulated by many of his friends today, but it was not generally known that he had returned to the city.

Oklahoma county has never had such a prominent attorney in the office that is now filled by Mr. Embry. Older men and younger men have been county attorney, but none of them had obtained such prominence in the practice of law.

"The statement was widely circulated that you would resign after two or three months. How about it?" County Attorney Embry was asked today.

"I am unable to say now just what I will do," said the new county attorney. "I may decide to continue in the office during the remainder of the term. At any rate I will hold the office until I have done the work I came here to do."

The work referred to will be to close the bootlegging joints and gambling places in this city and county. It is understood that all the other officials charged with the enforcement of the law are willing to assist.

May Need Special Man.

County Attorney Embry has not decided yet whether or not he wants the services of a special man to do the active work in the enforcement of the prohibitory and anti-gambling laws. If he does the deputy he will appoint must be especially fitted for the place. He must be qualified to lead a raid when it becomes necessary. This deputy must act quickly and he must know how to get the evidence when the arrests are made.

Two young lawyers are spoken of as probable appointees for this place. They are Herbert M. Peck and Fred Caldwell, both young and active, but

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MEANT MORE TO HIM THAN PURSE

Girl in Box 24 Who Cheered Foster to Victory Was Miss Spice Peoples, His Sweetheart.

"I just knew Claud would win," declared Miss Spice Peoples, who cheered her dare devil lover on to victory in the Oklahoma automobile race yesterday.

"Of course, I felt a lot surer after the race was half over, but then I told him to come in first, and he always does everything I tell him to."

Few realized at the course yesterday that a greater incentive than the honor and the purse for the driver of Overland No. 1 was the wish of a flaxen-haired enthusiast in box 24. Foster's fiancee. When her reckless young lover came thundering down past the grandstand and swept like a tempest into the treacherous east curve, her excitement was too much for her, and she began to cry encouragement to him as she jumped up and down.

"Oh, I knew where Spice was sitting all right," Foster confessed this morning. "I didn't have time to listen to anything being said when I came past the boxes, but I had an awful hunch that somebody I was interested in was wishing me luck."

The romance of the race dates back a year, when Foster met Miss Peoples in Tuttle. She lives at 1118 West Sixteenth street, and held open house with her here this morning to their many friends and congratulators. She sings in the choir of one of the larger churches here.

Foster took her to view his now famous car in the Lee-Huckins hotel this morning, and she attracted as much attention as did the car itself. The plucky driver had little to say about his victory.

KING'S SON DRILLS WITH PRIVATES UNDER FIRE

DUNKIRK, France, April 21.—The Duke of Brabant, eldest son of King Albert of Belgium, who recently enlisted as a common soldier in the Twelfth Infantry regiment, drilled for the first time last week with a platoon commanded by Lieut. Girard. For two hours on the plains of the Yser he served as right guide and apparently understood hi duties as well as his older comrades. The platoon went through several maneuvers in open order. A severe cannonade was in progress throughout the drill.

RUSSIANS EVACUATE ALL THEIR POSITIONS AT TARNOW

BERLIN, April 21.—Various dispatches published in eBrlin today announce the complete evacuation by the Russians some days ago of their positions at Tarnow, in Galicia, 135 miles west of Lemberg. This was done to avoid the effects of the fire of the heavy Austrian artillery. Russian soldiers come into Tarnow to make their personal purchases only at night.

THURSDAY'S PROGRAM

200 Mile Auto Road Race—$5,000.00 Purse; $1,000 Bonus for World's Car Record.

Car

Maxwell ..... Barney Oldfield

Maxwell ..... [illegible]

State ..... [illegible]

State ..... [illegible]

Peugeot ..... [illegible]

Case ..... [illegible]

Case ..... [illegible]

Simplex ..... [illegible]

Stafford ..... [illegible]

Tulsa ..... [illegible]

Mercedes ..... [illegible]

CITY AUDITORIUM

Evening Entertainments.

Mardi Gras Masks, Fun and Auto Fest.

War at a Glance

A land and sea attack on the Dardanelles on a larger scale than at any time since the allies began their effort to win Constantinople apparently is imminent. Berlin reports that 20,000 French and British troops have been landed on the northern shore of the Gulf of Saros, European Turkey, in dicating that land operations may be the way. This force presumably will be employed for an attack on the rear of the Turkish fortifications along the European side of the straits at the same time that a bombardment from the sea is undertaken by the allied fleet.

Additional British troops are arriving daily from Egypt, transports at the island of Lemnos west of the entrance to the Dardanelles.

No heavy fighting has taken place since the attempts to force the strait a month ago in which two British and two French battleships were lost.

An official statement from Constantinople says that six torpedo boats attempted to penetrate the straits Monday night and yesterday there was an engagement between warships and Turkish fortifications presumably in connection with the landing of troops.

At a patriotic demonstration in Rome a member of the Italian senate addressed a manifesto to the people to the effect that "consolidation is approaching for the Italians who have waited and suffered" referring evidently to the nation's desire to absorb "unredeemed Italy" or the Austrian province to the north. Austria is reported to be concentrating troops hastily along the border in fear of an invasion by Italian troops, but Prince Von Buelow, German ambassador at Rome denies that a rupture between Italy and Austria is imminent.

A Berlin dispatch says that Turnow, Galicia, has been evacuated by the Russians on account of the effective attacks of the Austrians.

In a battle in German East Africa the English losses are given at 700 and the German at 50.

Conditions virtually were unchanged yesterday along the western front. In the east also a lull has come after the violent fighting in the Carpathians of the last month. The official French and German statements of today report comparatively small engagements at several points in France. Each side claims to have made slight progress and to have repulsed the attacks of the other.

KILL BROTHERS; OUTLAWS FIGHT

Posse in Automobiles Is Rounding Up Gang That Escaped to Hills; Attempt to Rescue.

TUCSON, Ariz., April 21.—Two Mexican brothers, the Leon brothers, were shot and killed Monday night when confederates attempted to rescue them from Pima county deputies, who were trying to drive bad men from Greatrville, a bordr community, according to a report received here. Jose Maria, one of the attacking party was wounded and captured.

When the deputies went to Greatorville to serve a warrant on Antonio Encinas, Encinas and his band opened fire with revolvers and escaped. Then the Leon brothers, armed, ordered the deputies to leave the settlement.

The officers ostensibly started for Tucson, but instead doubled back and arrested the Leon brothers and then took them to the mountains. The rescue outlaw party was taken by surprise and the shooting followed.

Sheriff Forbes telegraphed from greaterville last night that Encinas and his band had been surrounded in the hills. A posse was sent from here in automobiles to aid in rounding up the outlaws.

THE WEATHER

Washington Forecast.

Oklahoma, West Texas—Tonight and and Thursday fair.

Louisiana, East Texas—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday.

Arkansas—Showers this afternoon partly cloudy tonight and Thursday.

Generally fair weather tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

7 a. m.	58
8 a. m.	62
9 a. m.	67
10 a. m.	64
11 a. m.	61
12 noon	68
1 p. m.	65
2 p. m.	71
3 p. m.	72

A shallow low central over Oklahoma and Kansas, has given cloudy and unsettled weather throughout the southwest during the past twenty-four hours. Showers have been quite general in Texas, north Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma and southern Kansas. Generally fair weather, without precipitation of consequence, has prevailed in other sections of the country. Temperatures are above the seasonal averages throughout the entire United States, it being decidedly warm this morning in the Mississippi valley and eastern districts.

ALLIES LANDING MEN IN TURKEY

Unconfirmed Dispatch Says 20,000 French And British Troops Arrive Near Enos.

GERMANS IN AN AIR RAID

Ten Aeroplanes Drop 100 Bombs On Russian Town; Neither Side Makes Gains.

BERLIN, April 21. The Lokal Zeitung today publishes a special dispatch, the origin of which is not given, saying that 20,000 French and British troops have been landed near Enos in European Turkey on the north side of the gulf of Saros. A heavy cannonading took place between the Turkish fortifications Enos and the warships of the allies.

A dispatch received in London yesterday from Dedeagatch, Bulgaria, a short distance to the west of Enos, said a violent cannonading occurred in the Gulf of Saros Sunday evening. The firing was so heavy that buildings at Dedeagatch were shaken.

A dispatch received in Berlin from Athens says great activity has been noted among the British forces on the west of the entrance to the Dardanelles. Troop transports are arriving daily from Alexandria, Egypt. The censorship is more rigid and all indications point to strong action against the Dardanelles at an early date.

PETROGRAD, April 21.—Ten German aeroplanes dabbed the town of Bialystok in Russian Poland, forty-five miles west of Grodno, Tuesday morning, and threw down upon it more than 100 bombs.

LONDON, April 21.—Dispatches reached London from the French front telling of considerable military activity with the artillery taking a prominent part in the attacks made by one side or the other. There is little evidence, however, that either side has gained, but whatever small advantage has been reaped seems to rest with the Germans between the Meuse and the Lorraine frontier. The French have made a slight advance at Flirey, but their report suggests that the gain was not proportionate to the effort put forth.

Berlin claims several minor suc-

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PANAMA POLICE FREE WITH GUNS

Shoot Unarmed American Soldiers Instead of Arresting Them for Minor Disturbances.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—War department officials today gave renewed attention to a proposal that the American government undertake to police the Panama canal zone terminal cities of Colon and Panama as the result of Major General Wood's preliminary oral report regarding the recent rioting at Colon in which he reiterated his previous assertion that the Panama police provoked the disturbance when one American soldier was killed and three wounded.

Brigadier General Clarence R. Edwards, commanding the troops in the canal zone, had made the recommendation in which he referred to a treaty in force between the United States and Panama which he thinks warrants the step. Past experience, according to both Generals Wood and Edwards, is that the Panama police, instead of arresting unarmed soldiers and bluejackets for minor misdemeanors, immediately open fire upon them.

General Wood arrived on an official visit just after the rioting occurred. The rioting investigation shows was not different from previous disturbances and authorities here do not conceal their impatience over the repetition of such incidents.

SCHOOL STRIKE ENDS

Fine of $2 Each Against Thirteen of The Boys Brought Quick End to School Trouble at Yonkers.

YONKERS, N. Y., April 21.—The strike among the 1,000 pupils of public school No. 20 who refused to attend school because William S. Maxson, their principal, failed to be reappointed, collapsed today when thirteen of the boy strikers were fined $2 each. Seven had spent a night in jail and promised today to go back to school. Mr. Maxson himself went among the pupils urging them to go back to their desks.

BERLIN HEARS OF DEFEAT OF GERMANS IN AFRICA

BERLIN, April 21.—Official news from German East Africa of the defeat of German forces on April 18 and 19 in a two-days battle at a point near Jassini has just reached Berlin. The British forces lost some two hundred men in killed.

FIRST GERMAN POTASH SHIP REACHES AMERICA

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 21. — The American steamer L. V. Stoddard is here today from Rotterdam with 2,200 tons of muriate of potash, the first cargo of German potash received since the European war began.

SCHOOL BOYS JAILED

Seven Leaders of Student Strike Are Arrested for Not Obeying the Judge's Order.

YONKERS, N. Y., April 21.—Seven boys, alleged leaders in a school strike were in jail today owing to their refusal to obey the order of Judge Beall to return to their class rooms. The mother of another boy was found guilty yesterday of violating the same court law in refusing to permit her son to return to school until the board of education had promised to reemploy William F. Maxson, their principal. Notice that he would not be reinstated caused a strike of 1,000 pupils.

One hundred of the juvenile strikers were brought into court yesterday and made to promise they would go to their books. When Judge Beall learned eight of this number had failed to fulfill their promise they were arrested.

AMBASSADOR WAITING

Russian Diplomat Delays Visit to Italy Pending Finish of Negotiations Between Nations.

ROME, via Paris, April 21.—The Messaggero says that Michael De Giers, the new Russian ambassador to Italy, is delaying his arrival in Rome because of his desire before leaving Petrograd to arrange with his government for the conclusion of a thorough agreement between Russia and Italy, not only concerning Italy's intervention in the war, but with regard to Italy's position when peace is reached.

The Messagaro adds that an almost perfect accord continues to exist between Italy and Roumania and that, therefore, Italy's neutrality is approaching its end, although nobody can fix the day that Italy will enter upon hostilities.

"We would be blind still to hope for a good result from the Vienna conversations," the Messagaro continues. "This has been a dilatory game. It was proposed by Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador, and accepted by Austria and Italy because for various reasons both powers considered it inconvenient to postpone the day of reckoning."

LANGUAGE IS HARSHER

Chinese Translation of Japanese Demands Differs in Few Instances From That Received by U. S.

LONDON, April 21.—Official announcement was made today by the Chinese government that the translation of the full text of the demands made by Japan upon China, as already published in the United States, was the official translation of the Chinese text as the Japanese themselves presented it to the foreign office here January 18 in both the Japanese and Chinese languages.

This announcement was made by reason of the fact that the Japanese government has protested repeatedly because the Chinese government was informing certain foreign legations as to the progress of negotiations.

The Chinese government's translation has been carefully checked by a legation which possesses a copy of Japan's Chinese text and it is stated at the legation that only the verbiology differs. The legation's version is in somewhat harsher language than that of the Chinese government translation.

For example, the article which in the government text, is translated to provide that Chint shall agree to the propagation of "buddhism" by Japan in China is translated by the legation to read, "It shall have the right to propagate religious doctrines."

ARREST VOTE BUYERS

Democratic Politician and Young Woman Arrested at Paris, Ill., On Charge of Corrupting Ballot.

PARIS, Ill., April 21.—H. Clay Moss, prominent Democratic politician and Miss Hattie O'Neal were arrested here last night on the charge of buying votes during yesterday's city election on the commission form of government. Warrants for other prominent citizens, among them society women, have been issued. It is estimated that 300 votes were bought for from $3 to $12 each.

Mrs. Flora Dawson and Miss Hattie Franklin appeared before Sheriff W. R. McAllister and alleged that Miss O'Neal paid them $3 each for voting. A warrant for the arrest of another woman prominent in society, was issued.

Warrants for the arrest of several officials were made out at the office of former Congressman Frank T. O'Hair after the state's attorney had refused to issue them. Sheriff McAllister said more arrests would be made today. It is believed the citizens' committee, which endorsed the candidacy of Dr. W. H. Hoff, mayor-elect, will appeal to Governor Dunne today for a complete investigation.

STUDENTS ATTACK GERMAN PROFESSOR; SCHOOL CLOSED

MILAN, via Paris, April 21. — For several days the students of the Polytechnic institute, the highest engineering university in Italy have been making attacks on Professor Max Abraham, because of his German nationality. The situation became so grave that Senator Guiseppi Colombo, the president, ordered the institute closed.

RESOLUTE AND VANITIE TO RACE IN SPECIAL EVENTS

NEW YORK, April 21.—The yachts Resolute and Vanitie, built last year to defend the America's cup, this summer will be raced in special regattas and in the cruise of the New York Yacht club, it was learned today. Yachting men consider it doubtful whether there will be a race for the cup this year.

BOSSISM ETHICS ARE NOT BARED

Court Refuses To Admit Evidence Dealing With Politics And Political Methods.

ROOSEVELT TAKES STAND

Continues To Tell Story Of Dealings With Barnes; Letters Are Produced.

SARATOGA, N. Y., April 21.—Theodore Roosevelt took the witness stand in the supreme court today and continued to tell the story of his dealings with William Barnes in an effort to prove he was justified in making the statement on which Mr. Barnes is suing him to recover $50,000 for alleged libel.

Before Colonel Roosevelt took the stand counsel for both sides and the court discussed legal questions in regard to what should be admitted in evidence.

At the end of the conference it was announced that the court had decided not to admit evidence regarding certain things not specified in the pleadings. This barred the door to the admission of a great mass of evidence dealing with politics, political methods and Mr. Barnes' alleged conversation with Colonel Roosevelt on the ethics of bossism.

Tammany Hall Represented.

Thomas F. Smith, secretary of Tammany hall for the last twenty years, arrived at the court house to-

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WAR AT HOUSTON BUT NOT REAL

"Brown" Army Expecting Hourly Attack By "Whites"; Celebrate San Jacinto Anniversary.

HOUSTON, Texas, April 21.—The seventy-ninth anniversary of the battle of San Jacinto, fought a few miles south of Houston and in which Sam Houston overthrow Santa Ana, the self-styled Napoleon of the west and captured him and among the results of which was the firm establishment of the republic of Texas and the ultimate war with Mexico by the United States and the annexation by the latter of a great empire out of which several states have been carved, was fittingly observed here today.

While the 3,000 regular soldiers in camp here under Colonel J. A. Gaston did not parade, the regimental bands were sent to the city and at various points discoursed inspiring music. Owing to working out of pending war problems it was not possible to formulate a definite program for the "brown" army where everything is kept on a war footing and an attack is expected at any moment.

The 28th infantry under Colonel R. I. Bullard, on the way from Texas City is nearing this place and is expected to join the troops here not later than noon Thursday when the brown army total will reach above 4,000 men.

At last accounts the white army was still in its camp at Galveston expecting orders for an instant start to attack the forces here defending the city. The maneuvers, it is believed will not begin in earnest before Thursday or possibly Friday and from that time forward "hostilities" will be the order all over the prairies between this city and Galveston. Large quantities of blank ammunition have been issued the troops and so far as motion and noise is concerned, all the accessories of actual warfare are promised.

The weather is cool and cloudy and the health of the troops here is excellent. Provost guards are patrolling the streets to maintain order, but the gentlemanly conduct of the men has thus far rendered their services unnecessary.

ITALIANS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY OF ROME

ROME, April 21.—The eve of the birthday of Rome, which is today was observed with patriotic demonstrations throughout the city. The dominating note of the manifestation was a desire for the complete unity of the country.

Senator Roselli Doyen, president of the Society Dante Allighieri which has many branches abroad, the mission of which is to foster the study of the Italian language, addressed a manifesto to the country. In his statement Senator Doyen said:

"This year on its birthday Rome is on the eve of great events. Consolation is approaching for the Italians who have waited and suffered."